

BOSTON



**RED
SOX**

PLAYER ROSTER

TRAINING CAMP
SARASOTA, FLA.

1953



**BOSTON AMERICAN LEAGUE
BASEBALL COMPANY**



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Training Season



Red Sox Headquarters

Ball Parks

SARASOTA

John Ringling Hotel

Payne Park

ST. PETERSBURG

Vinny Park Hotel

Al Lang Field

TAMPA

Tampa Terrace Hotel

Plant Field

BRADENTON

Braves Field

Braves Field

LAKELAND

Henley Field

Henley Field

WEST PALM BEACH

Pennsylvania Hotel

Connie Mack Field

MIAMI BEACH

Adoher Hotel

Miami Stadium

ORLANDO

Angebilt Hotel

Tinker Field

CLEARWATER

Fort Herrison Hotel

Clearwater Athletic Field

JACKSONVILLE

Seminole Hotel

Jacksonville Baseball Park

WAYCROSS

Phoenix Hotel

Memorial Stadium

MONTGOMERY

Whitley Hotel

Municipal Stadium

BIRMINGHAM

Tutweiler Hotel

Rickwood Field

MEMPHIS

Peahody Hotel

Russwood Park

CHARLOTTE

Charlotte Hotel

Clark C. Griffith Park

ROANOKE

Roanoke Hotel

Maher Field

RICHMOND

Richmond Hotel

Movers Field

HARTFORD

Hotel Bond

Bulkeley Stadium

Boston Red Sox Itinerary 1953

Southbound

February 23	Lx. Baston, South Station		
	NH #175	3:30 A.M.	
	Due New York, Penn Sta.	1:20 P.M.	
	Lx. New York, Penn Sta.		
	PRR #175	1:30 P.M.	
	Due Washington, Union Sta.	5:15 P.M.	
	Lx. Washington, Union Sta.		
	RF & P #57-157	6:45 P.M.	
February 24	Arr. Sarasota	SAL #157	4:00 P.M.

Northbound

March 31	Lx. Sarasota	ACL #76	4:30 P.M.
April 1	Due Jacksonville		6:30 A.M.
April 1	Lx. Jacksonville, Union Sta.		
	ACL #6	7:20 P.M.	
	Due Waycross, Ga.	8:40 P.M.	
April 2	Lx. Waycross, Ga.	ACL #57	11:15 P.M.
April 3	Due Montgomery, Ala.		7:00 A.M.
April 3	Lx. Montgomery	L & N #4	6:15 P.M.
	Due Birmingham		8:30 P.M.
April 4	Lx. Birmingham	Frisco	9:30 P.M.
April 5	Due Memphis, Tenn.		6:30 A.M.
April 5	Lx. Memphis	EAL	9:15 P.M.
April 6	Due Charlotte, N. C.		1:00 A.M.
April 6	Lx. Charlotte, N. C., Son. #30		8:40 P.M.
April 7	Due Lynchburg		1:45 A.M.
April 7	Lx. Lynchburg	N & W #41	4:20 A.M.
	Due Roanoke, Va.		5:30 A.M.
April 8	Lx. Roanoke	N & W #16	12:35 A.M.
	Due Richmond	ACL	7:20 A.M.
April 8	Lx. Richmond	R F & P	5:20 P.M.
	Due Washington, Union Sta.		7:35 P.M.
	Lx. Washington, Union Sta.		
	P R R #172	10:45 P.M.	
April 9	Due Hartford, Conn.	N H	7:57 A.M.
April 9	Lx. Hartford	N H #136	5:00 P.M.
	Due Boston		7:51 P.M.

Spring Training 1953



March 7—Sat.	Cincinnati at Sarasota
March 8—Sun.	Phillies at Sarasota
March 9—Mon.	Yankees at Sarasota
March 10—Tues.	Yankees at St. Petersburg
March 11—Wed.	Cardinals at St. Petersburg
March 12—Thurs.	Cardinals at Sarasota
March 13—Fri.	Detroit at Sarasota
March 14—Sat.	Braves at Sarasota
March 15—Sun.	Cincinnati at Tampa
March 16—Mon.	Braves at Bradenton
March 17—Tues.	Cardinals at St. Petersburg
March 18—Wed.	Cincinnati at Sarasota
March 19—Thurs.	Detroit at Lakeland
March 20—Fri.	Athletics at West Palm Beach
March 21—Sat.	Brooklyn at Miami
March 22—Sun.	Brooklyn at Miami
March 23—Mon.	Open
March 24—Tues.	Yankees at Sarasota
March 25—Wed.	Washington at Sarasota
March 26—Thurs.	Washington at Orlando
March 27—Fri.	Phillies at Clearwater
March 28—Sat.	Yankees at St. Petersburg
March 29—Sun.	Detroit at Sarasota
March 30—Mon.	Brooklyn at Sarasota
March 31—Tues.	Break Camp
April 1—Wed.	Jacksonville at Jacksonville, Fla.
April 2—Thurs.	Phillies at Waycross, Georgia
April 3—Fri.	Phillies at Montgomery, Ala.
April 4—Sat.	Birmingham at Birmingham, Ala.
April 5—Sun.	Memphis at Memphis, Tenn.
April 6—Mon.	Phillies at Charlotte, N. C.
April 7—Tues.	Phillies at Roanoke, Va.
April 8—Wed.	Phillies at Richmond, Va.
April 9—Thurs.	Braves at Hartford, Conn.
April 10—Fri.	Braves at Fenway Park
April 11—Sat.	Braves at Fenway Park
April 12—Sun.	Braves at Braves Field

BOSTON RED SOX ROSTER — 1953

No.	POCULERS	Born Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	CG	W	L	IP	R	ER	BB	SO	ERA			
28.	BURKHOFF, RAYMOND	Nov. 3, 1936	6'3"	200	Hiddepoove, Ohio	R	R	{ Lancaster Boston	6 13	1 0	2 3	2 1	20 58	13 8	30 39	10 0	10 11	12 0	3.25 2.39		
12.	BURNETT, HENRY	Mar. 13, 1931	6'3"	160	Goldsboro, N. C.	R	R	Chicago	28	1	9	3	23	29	20	30	21	3.0	2.83		
29.	BARNES, JAMES	Nov. 13, 1929	5'11"	165	Highland Park, Wash.	R	R	{ Lancaster Boston	2 20	2 1	2 4	0 0	16 65	4 20	10 20	4 25	5 30	16 26	2.39 3.56		
29.	FRANKS, BENJAMIN, JR.	Nov. 15, 1950	6'3"	165	Wilkes, N. C.	R	R	{ Haverhill San Diego	10 20	3 19	2 11	6 10	29 167	20 60	20 137	20 39	27 82	29 100	4.00 3.10		
29.	FRANKS, HENRY	Jan. 1, 1900	6'3"	235	East Grafton, Ma.	R	R	Lancaster	20	0	0	7	11	28	17	29	20	60	2.30		
36.	DEWITT, HENRY	Nov. 13, 1900	6'3"	100	Red Bluff, Calif.	R	R	Boston	4	1	1	0	11	5	10	3	3	3	3.33		
23.	FRANKS, WILSON	Oct. 13, 1930	6'3"	100	Houston, Texas	L	L	Chicago	20	7	12	10	166	10	138	69	29	97	3.17		
16.	FRANKS, FRANK	Sept. 13, 1900	6'3"	190	Lancaster, Md.	L	R	{ San Diego Lancaster	27 20	9 14	7 10	2 12	109 301	33 100	137 100	60 88	60 80	90 78	3.00 4.30		
27.	DEWITT, KENNETH	Nov. 23, 1900	5'11 1/2"	195	Asheville, N. C.	R	R	K.A. 7, St. L. 12	10	1	0	7	26	30	58	23	27	10	3.50		
20.	FRANKS, SAMUEL	Jan. 3, 1917	6'3 1/2"	195	Lancaster, Texas	R	R	Lancaster	0	4	5	2	63	29	27	27	10	20	3.80		
11.	KRUMHOLTZ, WILLIAM	May 13, 1911	6'0 1/2"	200	Hockley, Minn. & C.	L	L	Washington	7	0	3	1	60	29	99	19	20	20	2.71		
16.	KRUMHOLTZ, EDWARD	July 28, 1934	6'1"	100	Boston, Mass.	R	R	Boston	31	7	2	0	104	68	133	58	30	50	3.00		
19.	McKENZIE, WALTER	Nov. 28, 1933	6'3"	100	Boston, Mass.	R	R	Detroit	17	0	2	0	71	27	73	29	20	20	2.20		
28.	McKENZIE, SAMUEL	Nov. 3, 1927	6'3"	105	Walpole, Calif.	L	L	Boston	20	4	5	6	90	39	85	20	28	30	2.27		
31.	NEALE, WILLIAM	Nov. 11, 1918	6'3 1/2"	102	Ipichula, Co.	R	R	Houston	7	0	0	0	11	1	130	67	92	127	3.70		
17.	PARSONS, HENRY	Nov. 13, 1922	6'3"	100	New Orleans, La.	L	R	Houston	20	0	6	7	113	19	112	45	61	60	4.30		
18.	FRANKS, GLENN	Nov. 18, 1930	6'11"	100	Tomball, Tex.	L	L	Detroit	20	8	3	1	100	68	109	28	60	20	3.90		
14.	BURNETT, WILLIAM	Dec. 27, 1923	6'3"	100	San Mateo, Calif.	R	R	Boston	20	10	19	12	311	100	207	80	80	107	3.80		
						L	L	PDG, St. L. 19	20	0	1	2	63	20	10	25	10	20	3.28		
No.	CATCHERS	Born Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	AB	R	H	TB	BB	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA	
11.	FRANKS, GLENN	Nov. 3, 1930	6'3"	200	Philly, Pa.	R	R	Boston	30	50	4	6	6	4	0	.368	180	12	1	.810	
27.	WILSON, SAMUEL	Nov. 3, 1930	6'0"	200	San Jose, Calif.	R	R	Boston	13	281	35	107	167	69	10	.280	281	50	0	.300	
35.	WILSON, HENRY	Nov. 23, 1930	5'11 1/2"	200	Kingsland, Me.	R	R	Boston	47	135	7	36	32	21	0	.207	100	32	1	.298	
No.	INFIELDERS	Born Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	AB	R	H	TB	BB	HR	BA	PO	A	E	DP	FA
2.	FRANKS, WILLIAM	Nov. 3, 1900	6'3"	100	Waltham, Mass.	R	R	Houston	20	307	19	30	119	20	0	.279	185	230	19	73	.810
35.	FRANKS, WILLIAM	Nov. 13, 1900	6'3"	100	Los Angeles, Calif.	R	R	Boston	11	28	1	2	12	3	1	.202	22	11	1	0	.800
3.	FRANKS, WILLIAM	Nov. 13, 1930	6'3"	200	Reading, Pa.	R	R	{ Lancaster Boston	10 102	73 200	17 30	38 90	93 102	16 40	4 19	.215 .200	115 817	11	4	12	1.010
10.	FRANKS, WILLIAM	Nov. 28, 1928	5'11 1/2"	160	San Jose, Fla.	L	R	Boston	100	313	79	127	202	79	4	.300	212	551	28	115	.877
1.	BURNETT, GLENN	Nov. 23, 1930	5'11 1/2"	155	San Jose, Ark.	R	R	Boston	20	100	11	28	59	17	1	.200	111	100	11	21	.508
5.	FRANKS, THOMAS	Nov. 23, 1900	5'11"	100	Wichita, N. Y.	R	R	Lancaster	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.200	0	0	0	0	.000
6.	FRANKS, JOHN	Nov. 14, 1919	6'3"	155	Elkhart, Texas	R	R	Boston	20	271	23	72	109	58	8	.200	141	232	14	48	.894
11.	FRANKS, JOHN	Nov. 17, 1913	6'3"	123	Elkhart, Md.	R	R	Boston	20	231	36	80	90	19	0	.201	200	300	11	61	.899
6.	FRANKS, ALAN	Nov. 7, 1927	6'3"	170	New York, N. Y.	R	R	Boston	111	379	41	98	103	29	3	.213	250	284	12	85	.790
						R	R	San Jose	162	310	40	100	100	61	1	.289	220	291	38	90	.891
No.	OUTFIELDERS	Born Date	Ht.	Wt.	Home Address	Bats	Throws	Club in 1952	G	AB	R	H	TB	BB	HR	BA	PO	A	E	FA	
7.	FRANKS, WILLIAM	Nov. 22, 1910	6'0"	190	Waltham, Mass.	R	R	Boston	103	300	21	162	112	30	0	.300	310	10	8	.850	
39.	FRANKS, WILLIAM	Nov. 3, 1900	6'0"	100	Reading, Pa.	R	R	Boston	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	.120	1	0	0	.333	
27.	FRANKS, JOHN	Nov. 14, 1900	6'3"	100	Boston, Mass.	R	R	Boston	110	300	20	100	172	30	11	.300	210	8	6	.333	
23.	FRANKS, BENJAMIN	Nov. 24, 1900	6'0"	100	Cotuit, Mass.	R	R	Boston	10	30	10	20	30	10	1	.200	20	10	0	.300	
23.	FRANKS, BENJAMIN	Nov. 24, 1900	6'0"	100	Cotuit, Mass.	L	R	Boston	10	30	10	20	30	10	1	.200	20	10	0	.300	
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23.	FRANKS, BENJAMIN	Nov. 24, 1900	6'0"	100	Cotuit, Mass.	L	R	Boston	10	30											

Home Games 1953

APRIL—	Washington	14, 15
	Philadelphia	24, 25, 26 (Sun. 2)
MAY—	New York	8 (N), 9, 10 (Sun.)
	Chicago	12 (N), 13
	Cleveland	14, 15, 16
	Detroit	17 (Sun. 2)
	St. Louis	19, 20
	Philadelphia	21, 22
	Washington	31 (Sun. 2)
JUNE—	Detroit	16 (N), 17, 18
	St. Louis	19, 20, 21 (Sun. 2)
	Cleveland	23 (N), 24, 25
	Chicago	26 (N), 27, 28 (Sun.)
	New York	30 (N)
JULY—	New York	1, 2
	Washington	3 (N), 4 (Hol. 2)
	Philadelphia	10 (N), 11, 12 (Sun.)
	Chicago	28 (N), 29, 30
	Detroit	31 (N)
AUGUST—	Detroit	1, 2 (Sun. 2)
	St. Louis	1, 5, 6
	Cleveland	7 (N), 8, 9 (Sun.)
	Washington	14 (N), 15, 16 (Sun. 2)
	Philadelphia	18 (N), 19
SEPTEMBER—	New York	7 (Hol. 2)
	Cleveland	9 (N), 10
	St. Louis	11, 12
	Chicago	13 (Sun.), 14, 15
	Detroit	16, 17
	New York	19, 20 (Sun.), 21

American League Season

Hotels		Ball Parks
	CHICAGO	
Del Prado Hotel		Comiskey Park
	CLEVELAND	
Carter Hotel		Cleveland Stadium
	DETROIT	
Sheraton-Cadillac Hotel		Briggs Stadium
	NEW YORK	
Commodore Hotel		Yankee Stadium
	PHILADELPHIA	
Warwick Hotel		Shibe Park
	ST. LOUIS	
Chase Hotel		Sportsman's Park
	WASHINGTON	
Wardman Park Hotel		Griffith Stadium

Boston Red Sox Minor League System 1953



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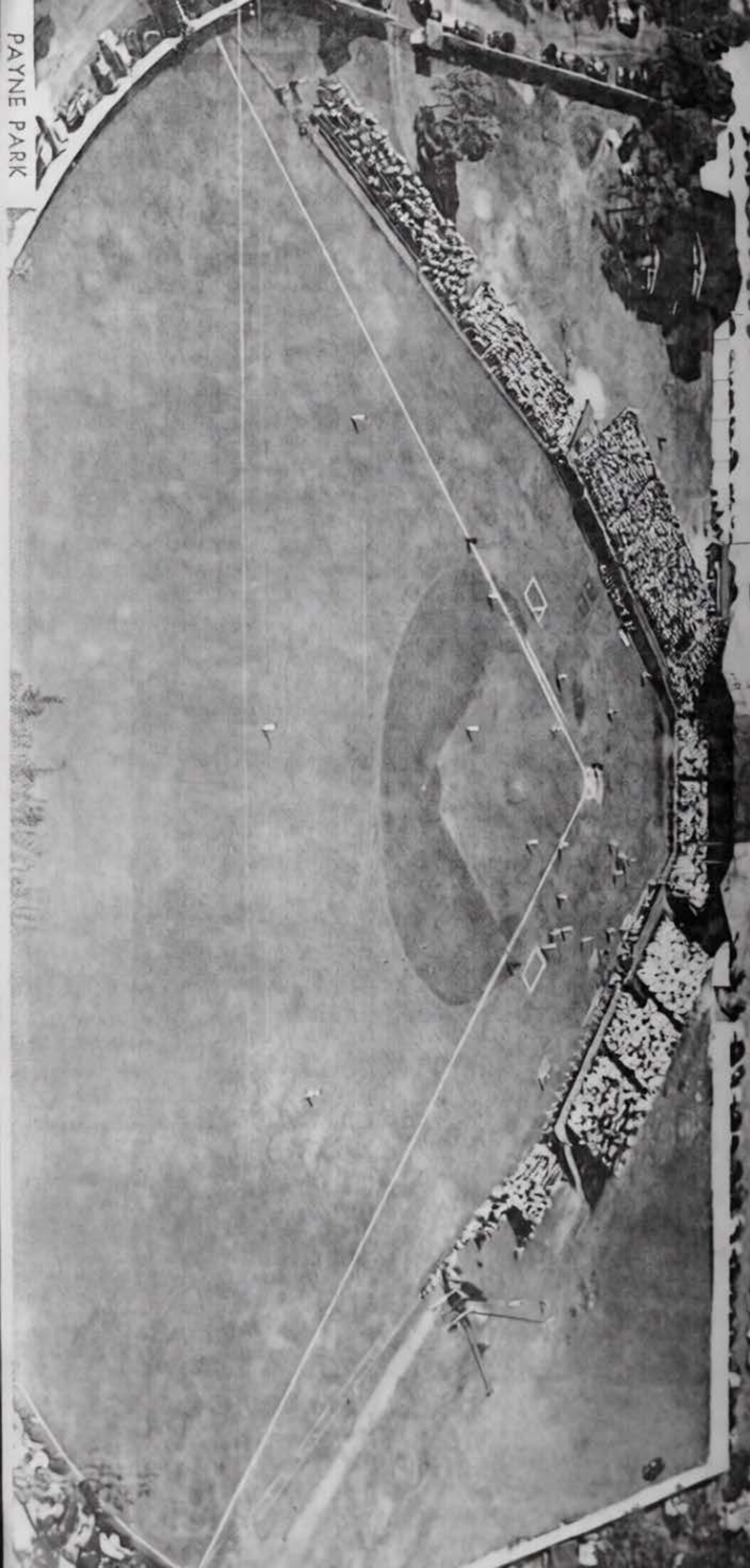
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Louisville (AA) Edward S. Doberty, Jr., Pres.	AAA	Mike Higgins
Albany (Eastern) Thomas F. McCaffrey, Pres.	A	Jack Burns
Greensboro (Carolina) Rufus Blanchard, Vice Pres.	B	Eddie Popowski
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Salisbury (Tar Heel) L. O. Parker, Pres.	D	Warren Robinson

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Charles Niebergall, Long Island City, New York
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Rutherford, New Brunswick, New Jersey
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Herman Strohman, Hemet, Idaho, California
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